

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION 5 77 WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD CHICAGO, IL 60604-3590

REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

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CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

William C. VanHorne, Jr. Environmental, Health and Safety Manager Federal-Mogul Corporation Sealing Systems 7450 North McCormick Boulevard Skokie, Illinois 60076-8103

Re: Compliance Evaluation Inspection EPA I.D. No.: ILD 005 119 334

Dear Mr. VanHorne:

On March 31, 2003, a representative of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) inspected the Federal-Mogul Corporation facility (FMC, facility or you) in Skokie, Illinois. In response to the following violations, we issued a Notice of Violation to you on April 21, 2003, that included the following violations:

- 1. FMC failed to comply with 35 IAC 722.111 [40 CFR 262.11] which requires generators to make a hazardous waste determination, by not making a waste determination for the "discrepant material" in the hazardous waste storage area.
- 2. FMC failed to comply with the condition for an exemption from a permit of 35 IAC 722.134(a)(2) [40 CFR 262.34(a)(2)] by not making visible on one 55 gallon container of hazardous waste the date upon which hazardous waste accumulation began.
- 3. FMC failed to comply with the condition for an exemption from a permit of 35 IAC 725.152(d) [40 CFR 265.52(d)] because the FMC Contingency Plan did not contain the emergency coordinator's home address.

4. FMC failed to comply with the condition for an exemption from a permit of 35 IAC 725.153 [40 CFR 265.53]. There was no documentation that the FMC Contingency Plan had been submitted to the police and fire departments, hospital and emergency response teams.

Subsequent to our Notice of Violation you submitted additional information regarding the identified violations in correspondence dated May 9, 2003.

This letter is to inform you that U.S. EPA has reviewed the referenced response, and does not plan additional enforcement action at this time. This letter does not limit the applicability of the requirements evaluated, or of other federal or state statutes or regulations. U.S. EPA and the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency will continue to evaluate your facility in the future.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, feel free to contact Diane Sharrow, of my staff, at (312) 886-6199.

Sincerely,

Lorna M. Jereza P.E., Chief

Compliance Section 1

Enforcement and Compliance Assurance Branch Waste, Pesticides and Toxics Division

Enclosure

cc: Todd Marvel, Illinois EPA